110TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 2952

To authorize the Saginaw Chippewa Tribe of Indians of the State of Michigan to convey land and interests in land owned by the Tribe.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

July 10, 2007

Mr. Kildee (for himself and Mr. Camp of Michigan) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. LAND AND INTERESTS OF THE SAGINAW CHIP-
- 4 PEWA INDIAN TRIBE OF MICHIGAN.
- 5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subject to subsections (b) and (c),
- 6 notwithstanding any other provision of law (including reg-
- 7 ulations), the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe of Michigan
- 8 (including any agent or instrumentality of the Tribe) (re-
- 9 ferred to in this section as the "Tribe"), may transfer,
- 10 lease, encumber, or otherwise convey, without further au-

- 1 thorization or approval, fee simple land owned by the
- 2 Tribe.
- 3 (b) Effect of Section.—Nothing in this section
- 4 is intended to authorize the Tribe to sell any lands that
- 5 are held in trust by the United States for the benefit of
- 6 the Tribe.

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